

For the prevention and cure of
BILIOUS AND MALIGNANT FEVERS
is recommended
Hahn's Anti-Bilious Pills
THIS Medicine has been attended
with a degree of success highly grateful
to the inventor's feelings in several parts
of the West Indies and in the Southern
and Middle States, &c.

The testimony of a number of persons
can be adduced, who have reason to be-
lieve that a timely use of this salutary re-
medy has, under Providence, preserved
their lives when in the most alarming cir-
cumstances.

Facts of this conclusive nature speak
more in favour of a medicine than col-
umns of pompous eulogy founded on
mere assertion.

It is not indeed presumptuously pro-
posed as an infallible cure, but the inven-
tor has every possible reason that can re-
sult from extensive experience for be-
lieving that a dose of these Pills taken
once in every two weeks during the pre-
valence of our bilious fevers, will prove
an infallible preventive; and further,
that in the earlier stages of those diseases
their use will very generally succeed in
restoring health, and frequently in cases
esteemed desperate and beyond the pow-
er of common remedies.

The operation of these pills is perfectly
mild, so as to be used with safety by per-
sons in every situation and of every age.
They are excellently adapted to carry
off superfluous bile and prevent its mor-
bid secretions—to restore and amend the
appetite—to produce a free perspiration
and thereby prevent colds which are of-
ten of fatal consequences. A dose never
fails to remove a cold if taken on its first
appearance: they are celebrated for re-
moving habitual costiveness—sickness at
the stomach and severe head-ache—and
ought to be taken by all persons on a
change of climate.

They have been found remarkably effi-
cacious in preventing and curing disor-
ders attendant on long voyages, and
should be procured and carefully preserv-
ed for use by every seaman.

Hamilton's Elixir.
A sovereign remedy for colds, obsti-
nate coughs, asthma, sore throats, cat-
arrhs, and approaching consumptions.—
To parents who have children afflicted
with the **HOOPING COUGH**, this dis-
covery is of the first magnitude, as it af-
fords immediate relief, checks the pro-
gress, and in a short time entirely re-
moves the most cruel disorders to which
children are liable. The Elixir is per-
fectly agreeable, and the dose so small
that no difficulty arises in taking it.

Hamilton's Grand Restorative.
Is recommended as an invaluable me-
dicine for the speedy relief and perman-
ent cure of
Nervous Disorders Violent cramps in
Consumptions the stomach and
Lowness of spirits Indigestion
Impurity of blood Melancholy
Hysterical affection Gout in the stomach
Inward weaknesses Pains in the limbs
and debility Relaxations, etc.

**Hamilton's Essence and Extract of
Mustard.**
A safe and effectual remedy for acute
and chronic rheumatism, gout, rheumatic
palsy, lumbago, numbness, white
swellings, chilblains, sprains, bruises, pain
in the face and neck, etc. etc.

Lo's Ointment for the Itch.
Warranted an infallible remedy at one
application, may be used with perfect
safety by pregnant women, or on infants
a week old, not containing a particle of
mercury or any dangerous ingredient
whatever, and not accompanied with the
tormenting smart which attends the ap-
plication of other remedies.

**Hahn's true & genuine German Corn
Plaster.**

An infallible remedy for corns, speedi-
ly removing their root and branch, with-
out giving any pain.

The Genuine Persian Lotion.
So celebrated among the fashionable
throughout Europe, is an invaluable cos-
metic, perfectly innocent and safe, free
from corrosive and repellent minerals,
the basis of other lotions, and of un-
paralleled efficacy in removing blemishes
of the face and skin, freckles, pimples,
inflammatory redness, scurfs, tetter, ring-
worms, sunburns, prickly heat, &c.

Hahn's genuine Eye Water,
A sovereign remedy for all diseases of
the eyes, whether the effect of nature
weakness or of accident.

Tooth Ache Drops.

The only remedy yet discovered which
gives immediate and lasting relief in the
most severe instances.

Lee's Infallible Ague and Fever Drops
For the cure of agues, remittent and
intermittent fevers.

At the place of sale pamphlets
may be had gratis, describing cures per-
formed by the above medicines; the num-
ber, importance and respectability of
which, fully justify every article of this
advertisement.

Sold only wholesale and retail, by
JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
September 26 King-st. Alexandria.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1817.

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For Norfolk,
To sail positively on Friday the 14th inst.
The superior and fast sail-
ing packet sloop **OCEAN**,
Joseph Middleton master.—
For freight or passage, having
elegant accommodations, apply on board,
at Irwin's wharf, or to
BARNEWALL & POPHAM.
November 11 d4t

For Mobile & New-Orleans.
The Brig **HUNTER**, John
Grinnalls, master, will sail
on or about the 20th inst.—
For freight or passage, having
good accommodations, apply to
JOHN JANNEY & Co.
11 mo 5.

For Freight,
The brig **COMMERCE**,
Wade master, burthen 1600
barrels—a good vessel, and
can be ready in a few days
for the reception of a cargo. Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
Who have for sale the cargo of said brig
from Havre, consisting of
190 tons **FRENCH PLASTER.**
November 5

For Freight,
The superior brig **ABEO**,
NA, A. Lewis, master; car-
ries about 1800 barrels, is a
first rate vessel, in complete
order, can be ready to receive a cargo in
four days, and will take a freight to the
south of Europe on very moderate terms.
Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
Who have for sale, said brig's cargo of
220 tons **Plaster Paris.**
Also,
Landing from schooner **Hazard**, Capt.
Hattel, and for sale,
4 bales containing 40 pieces white
Russia sheetings.
63 bolts first quality Russia duck.
10 qr. casks Sicily Madeira wine of
a superior quality.

For Newburyport,
The ship **NEWBURYPORT**,
Captain Follansbee, will sail
in four days, and take a few
hundred barrels freight on
moderate terms. Apply as above.
November 1

For New-York.
The fine fast sailing Sloop
PACKET, capt. Thos. Van
Name, burthen 500 barrels,
now lying at the foot of King
street—For freight or passage, having
good accommodations, apply on board or to
J. & J. DOUGLASS.
October 30.

For Freight.
The ship **UNION**, cap-
tain Cole, a new ly new and
superior vessel, carries about
900 barrels, will be ready
in a few days to receive a cargo, and will
take a freight for Europe or Coastwise.
Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
Who have for sale said schrs. cargo of
120 tons **Plaster Paris.**
Also, for sale, landing from schr. **Bolina**,
capt. Sylvester, from Madeira,
4 pipes
1 half pipe } **MADEIRA WINE.**
1 qr. cask }
October 23

For Boston, or any Eastern port.
The schooner **FAVORITE**,
captain Foster, will be ready
for the reception of a cargo in
a few days, and will take
freight on moderate terms. Apply to the
master on board, or to
JOHN JACKSON & Co.
Who have for sale the cargo of said schr
180 tons **plaster**, of superior quality
October 23

For Freight,
The ship **HAZARD**, Wil-
liam Crabtree, jun. master;
burthen 3800 barrels, and can
be ready to receive a cargo
on board in three days.
Also,
The ship **MARIA**, George
Pletcher, master; burthen a-
bout 3500 barrels; can be in
immediate readiness for sea.
Also,
The brig **SUSAN**, James
Parsons, master; burthen a-
bout 1000 barrels, is a new
and excellent vessel, ready
for the immediate reception of a cargo,
and will take a foreign or coastwise
freight on moderate terms. Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
October 4

For Sale, Freight, or Charter,
The substantial fast sailing
brig **VIRGINIA**, burthen
1,200 barrels. For terms ap-
ply to
N. KEENE.
Oct. 1

For New-York,
The good brig **VENUS**,
captain Saunders, having the
most of her cargo engaged,
will sail in three days, and
can take three hundred barrels freight on
application to
Nov. 11 **JOHN G. LADD & CO.**

John G. Ladd & Co.
Have received per schooner **Lydia**,
lying at Bayne's wharf, and offer
for sale,
1500 bushels potatoes
3 time pieces
2 eight day clocks
2 cases boots
2 cases mens' stout shoes

For Newburyport.
The schooner **LYDIA**, Jo-
seph Bragden master, having
most of her cargo provided,
will sail in a few days, and
can take on freight three hundred bar-
rels. Apply to
Nov. 11 **JOHN G. LADD & CO.**

For Freight.
The brig **JANE**, A. Davis,
jr. master, carries about 1200
barrels, is a good vessel, and
can be ready in a few days
to receive a cargo, will take an European
or coastwise freight on moderate terms.
Apply to **LAWRASON & FOWLE.**
Who have received by said brig
60 bbls. N. B. Rum
114 tons **Plaster Paris**
6 cases first quality hats
Also,
For sale on board said brig, at Central
Wharf, 1,000 bushels of superior quality
potatoes—for which apply to the master,
or as above
Nov. 11

For Portland & Bath.
The sloop **VISITOR**, capt.
will be ready to sail in
a few days and will take 200
barrels on freight—Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
Who have for sale her cargo of
65,000 feet merchantable & clear lumber
10 bbls. Tanner's oil
5 firkins butter
50 boxes smoked herrings.
November 11.

Plaster.
160 TONS **Plaster of Paris**, re-
ceived per the schooner **Lady**
Washington, and for sale by
T. H. HOWLAND.

For Sale or Freight.
The substantial & fast sail-
ing schr. **LADY WASHING-**
TON, T. Eaton, master, bur-
then 128 tons or 1000 bbls.
She will be ready for the reception of a
cargo in 4 days. Apply to
T. H. HOWLAND.
November 8

Prime Chewing Tobacco.
55 KEGS **Prime Chewing Tobacco**,
1 lb twists, 8's and 12's, of very
superior quality.
Just received from Richmond, and for
sale by **JOHN JACKSON & Co.**
October 23 Agents.

Cheap as our Neighbors.
REAL Merino and other shawls, 7 1/2,
8 1/2, 9 1/2 and 10 1/2, of all qualities
and colors, some of which are elegant.
A few cases gentlemen's superior
beaver hats, to be disposed of on mod-
erate terms by the case or single one.—
Gentlemen are invited to call and see for
themselves.
Children's patent flannel waists
Ladies' do do
Children's and ladies' improved Py-
renean tippets
Ladies' patent scarfs
Leopard stocks
Ladies' long pilgrim tippets, &c.
Ladies' superior kid gloves long and
Gentlemen's do all kinds [short
Ladies' and gentlemen's silk um-
brellas, green and blue; the latter 26 and
28 1-2 inches
Russia and other diapers
Paid bonnazens of the first qual-
ity and newest fashion;
With a variety of other articles, com-
prising a very general assortment of
ALL GOODS,
which are for sale on the most moderate
terms for cash or to want punctual cus-
tomers, and it is earnestly hoped none
others will supply.
WM. H. RICE & Co.
They take this method of informing
all their customers who are behind hand
in their payments (many of whom are at
a distance) that it would be satisfactory
to them to receive now what has been
due so long; and further to assure sev-
eral (perhaps the reader may take the hint)
that suits will be immediately brought a-
gainst them if this invitation is not com-
plied with.
October 27

Boarding
MRS. MARSTELLER, residing at
the corner of Prince and Wash-
ington streets, begs leave to inform the
public, that she proposes to take a few
young persons, either Boys or Girls, to
board during the winter.
Oct 7.

Lawrason & Fowle
Will purchase **MARYLAND TO-
BACCO.** October 25

Rye Whiskey.
LINDSAY & HILL, have just rec'd
and offer for sale,
25 barrels Rye Whiskey, of the first
quality.
November 8.

Sicily Madeira Wine.
LANDING from the schooner **Lib-
erty**, captain Beers,
6 pipes Sicily Madeira Wine, of a
superior quality
1 bale Russia Diapers
For sale by **LAWRASON & FOWLE.**
October 23

Piano Fortes, &c.
JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
HAVE LATELY RECEIVED
An assortment of fine toned Piano
Fortes, both plain & ornamented. 7
1 case of Violins, assorted, from No.
1 to 18
Violin Bows, Bridges, & refined rosin
A quantity of Roman and German Vi-
olin Strings, particularly selected
German Flutes; of every size and qual-
ity, from one to six keys
Flageolets and Fifes
Clarinet Reeds
Books of Instruction & Progressive Les-
sons, for the above Instruments.
October 25 d4t

Notice.
THE Subscriber having taken into
partnership Mr. Thomas Irwin, Jr.
the business in future will be conducted
under the firm of **CATLETT & IRWIN.**
All those having claims against me, are
requested to present them and receive
their money; and all those indebted are
respectfully solicited to make payment
with as little delay as possible.
CHARLES I. CATLETT.

For Sale.
157 bales and boxes burlaps, ticklen-
burg, ozaburg, hesians, creas, flat-
tills, catopillas, britanias, cholera and
dowias
200 boxes consisting of half pint, pint,
quart tumblers and decanters
20 boxes elegant cut glass containing
cordial glasses, wines, tumblers, pitch-
ers, plates and dishes
200 boxes window glass, 8 by 10 and
and 10 by 12
80 chests hyson and imperial
4000 pieces short yellow nan-
keens
2000 do. long yellow do.
167 boxes India China, consisting of
dining setts, tea setts, cups and saucers,
pint bowls, dining and desert plates, flat
and deep
6 pipes, 10 half pipes and 20 quar-
ter casks very sup. London Particular
Madeira Wine, from Gordon, Duff, In-
glis & Co.
German steel, very sup. quality, cop-
per pots and tea-kettles, soap, candles,
and nails—for sale on reasonable terms.
CATLETT & IRWIN.
October 11.

**ENGLISH AND GERMAN
ALMANACS for 1818,**
Just published and for sale by the gross,
dozen or single ones,
By **JOHN A. STEWART,**
Who has on hand,
a large stock of writing and letter paper,
pasteboards, plates, blank books, quills,
sealing wax, wafers, playing cards, and
paper for rooms.
Also,
Family and common bibles and testa-
ments, prayer books, psalm and hymn
books, with many other established reli-
gious works of merit. A general assort-
ment of
School Books,
Among which are, the Greek and Latin
Classics, Dilworth's, Webster's, Mavor's,
Comely's, Murray's, Columbian and Phi-
ladelphia spelling books, Murray's, Web-
ster's, Asher's and Comely's grammars,
Murray's Primer, Introduction, Reader,
Exercise and Key, Am. Class Book,
Blair's Reading Exercises, New Intro-
duction to Reading, New York Reader,
No. 1, 2 and 3, Scott's Lessons, En-
field's Speaker, Goldsmith's England,
Rome and Greece, Webster's Selection,
American Speaker, Dodgley's and Cox-
all's Fables, Blair's Grammar of Chemis-
try, O'Neal's and Willet's Geography,
Dilworth's, Turner's, Jesse's & Jordan's
Arithmetic, Johnson's, Sheridan's, and
Walker's Dictionary, Atlases and Maps,
etc. etc. together with a large stock of
Law, History and Miscellany.
Wholesale purchasers allowed a lib-
eral discount.
August 21

L. P. Madeira.
A FEW casks Mess. Murock, Youille,
Wardrop & Co's London Particu-
lar Madeira, of fine quality, for sale by
Jan 31 **W. HODGSON.**

John Ramsay.
HATH imported a handsome assort-
ment of
WOOLLEN'S,
by the ship **Boston**, from Liverpool.
September 30

Butter and Feathers.
4,000 LBS. prime west coun-
try firkin butter
500 lbs. live feathers—For sale by
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
Who have mould and dipped CAN-
DLES, of their own manufacture, of war-
ranted superior quality. Oct. 23

Sugars.
5 HHDS. } Barbados & St. Lucie
27 tierces } **SUGARS.**
3 bbls.
50 boxes Havana Segars.
6 cases black Cambrics
60 boxes sweet Oil, in flasks and
bottles—Rose and striped blankets,
Plains, coarse Cloths, etc. for sale by
JOHN JANNEY & Co.
10th mo 15

Lindsay & Hill,
HAVE just received and offer for
sale,
3 pipes first quality Holland gin
1 bale ticklenburg, 1st qual. con-
taining 1140 ells.
11 hogheads molasses.
200 boxes mould and dipt candles.
3 tierces and 9 barrels coffee.
5 chests imperial and young hyson
teas, last importation.
8500 bushels Liverpool coarse salt.
4500 " "Tarks Island ditto.
15 hds St. Croix & Antigua rum.
5 " and 10 barrels sugar.
10 boxes tumblers.
October 24

**Wanted to Purchase, or take
to Winter.**
HORSES, Mules, or Cattle, by the
dozen or single one.
Also to sell,
A family of **SLAVES**, consisting of a
man, his wife and four children, three
of them girls and one boy; their ages
from 12 to 20 years, the man and woman
between 50 and 40—all of them healthy
and stout—Enquire of the Printer.
October 14 d5m

Jonathan C. May.
MERCHANT TAYLOR.
RESPPECTFULLY informs his friends
and the public, that he has just re-
ceived, and now on hand, a large and
very general assortment of the most fa-
shionable cloths, cassimeres, cords, vel-
vets, fancy vestings, flusings, coatings,
double milled drabs and plaids—Gentle-
men can be supplied at all times with
coats, great coats, surtouts, cloaks, par-
taloons, vests, etc. of the best quality,
newest fashion, and made in the best
manner—Also, mourning furnished at the
shortest notice.—On hand, a very great
variety of ready made clothing of every
description, which he is determined to
dispose of on as reasonable terms as any
of equal quality can be obtained in the
district.—He solicits a share of patro-
nage.
JONATHAN C. MAY.
Has also opened a **NEW SHOP**, in the
above line, on King street, (in the
house lately occupied as the Domestic
Warehouse) under the care of an experi-
enced foreman, who will use his best en-
deavors to please. His assortment is ve-
ry general in every article in the above
line of business. Customers, leaving their
measures at either shop, may depend on
having their orders executed in the most
fashionable style, and at a very short no-
tice. He requests those who may wish
to purchase, to call at either shop and
view his assortment, having no doubt of
giving them bargains that will please.
October 15 d4m

Notice.
THE partnership hitherto existing be-
tween the subscribers, under the
firm of **JNO. JACKSON & Co** is by ex-
piration and mutual consent this day dis-
solved. Those having claims will please
present them to Jno. Jackson for settle-
ment, to whom those indebted will please
make payment, he being hereby fully au-
thorized to settle the affairs of the late firm.
JNO. JACKSON.
ENOCH W. SPAFFORD.
October 25—27

Notice.
JOHN JACKSON having taken into
partnership **GEORGE A. BIBBY**, of
New-York, the Auction and Commission
Business will be continued under the firm
of **JNO. JACKSON & Co** and they sol-
licit a continuation of the patronage of their
friends and the public.
JNO. JACKSON,
G. A. BIBBY.
October 27

Gun and Pistol Making
KENNEY GRIFITH informs the
public that he has continued to
carry on the above business at the old
stand, lower end of King street, Alexan-
dria, where all orders in his line will be
executed with neatness and dispatch.
He has now on hand a general and well
assorted stock of bird guns, lock, &c.
Also, two elegant double barrel gun.
Oct. 6 d3 Stt

Prime Sugars
LANDING, this day, from on board
the British schs **Fame**, Capt. Whit-
ney, from Barbados,
41 hogheads } **Musc. SUGARS;**
8 barrels }
superior quality to any which has been
offered in market—for sale by
FRANCIS ADAMS.
November 10

Fall Goods.
JOSEPH JANNEY, has imported in
the ship **Boston**, Capt. Finley, from
England, about an hundred packages,
containing a general assortment of
WOOLLEN & COTTON GOODS,
which are offered for sale by the package
or piece, and are very low.
September 26 d4t

For Rent.
And immediate possession given.
THIS Brick Dwelling House on King-
street, near the Diagonal Pump, in it
adjoining the Warehouse of Mr. English.
Also, the Store House adjoining my dwell-
ing. For terms, apply to
N. KEENE,
WHO HAS IN STORE,
50 bales German lineus
10 boxes hollow glass
20 crates queens ware
18 cask sherry wine, very old, and
2000 bushels Cadiz salt. Nov. 1

Cheap Cash Store.
THE subscriber has just opened and
offers for sale, at the corner of King
and Fairfax streets, and next door to
Messrs. John Withers & Co. a large as-
sortment of
Seasonable Dry Goods,
which were principally bought at auction
for **CASH**, and will be sold at the low-
est prices.
SAMUEL MARK.
October 20 d4w

Thomas H. Howland
AS FOR SALE,
Liverpool coarse and fine salt
Swedish bar iron, Russia hemp
New-Orleans yarn
Spermaceti and tallow candles
Spanish hides
Spermaceti, whale & tappers' oil
Mackerel, and a large quantity of
Welsh slate of a superior quality.
October 13 d3mwt

New Publications, &c.
JUST received and for sale by the
subscribers,
France, by Lady Morgan
Harrington and Ormond, a novel, by
Miss Edgeworth
Comic Dramas, by do.
The Western Gazetteer, or Emigrant's
Directory
Walsh's American Register, vol. 1st
and 2d
Smith's Theory of Moral Sentiments
Speeches on Sundry Occasions by
Charles Phillips, Esq.
Bishop Andrews's Devotions
Depressing Evening Entertainments for
the Instruction of Young Persons
The Lament of Tasso, a poem, by Lord
Byron
Bowditch's Navigator, new stereotype
edition
Bowditch's Coast Pilot
Atlas of Palestine, by J. Pierpont, Esq.
Nautical and other Almanacs for 1818
JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
October 27 mwt/L

Patent Nail Works.
CHARLES SLADE having obtained
the agency of the above works for
this District, a regular supply of **NAILS**
and **BRADS** will be kept at his store, on
Prince street, and **REIDMAN'S** Store a-
store, upper end of King street, and sold
on the same terms as they can be obtain-
ed at in Philadelphia. These nails are
esteemed by the carpenters superior in
quality to any manufactured in the Uni-
ted States; and the works are now bro't
to such perfection as to enable the pro-
prietors to render them as low as the
most inferior qualities.

Blistered steel, cotton twist or yarn,
with other domestic articles, may be had
at the above stores, on as good terms as
at Philadelphia. Likewise, a large and
extensive assortment of **BAR IRON.**
The object in offering these goods at
the most reduced prices, is to accommo-
date their back country friends, so as to
render it an unnecessary for them to re-
pair to other markets for supplies of do-
mestic goods as it is for those that are
imported.
October 15 mwt/L

Gun and Pistol Making
KENNEY GRIFITH informs the
public that he has continued to
carry on the above business at the old
stand, lower end of King street, Alexan-
dria, where all orders in his line will be
executed with neatness and dispatch.
He has now on hand a general and well
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Also, two elegant double barrel gun.
Oct. 6 d3 Stt

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"SHE NEVER TOLD HER LOVE."

Shakespeare.

Oh! it is sweet to hush the sigh
That trembles on the lip of beauty—
To wipe the dew that wets the eye
Of her who pines 'tween love and duty.

Oh! it is sweet to smother the breast
That throbbing swells with tender feel—
To view the cheek in dimples dress'd, [ing;
Where languid sorrow's tears were
stealing.

Too oft, in Beauty's gayest hour,
The heart within is cold and gloomy—
Too oft, the smile is like the flow'r
That lives not, but is yet in bloom.

Ah! hapless women may not tell
She loves—though love each glance re-
vealing—
Her heart may beat—her bosom swell—
Her only hope is in concealing.

And, 'mid the weight of inward care,
Her eye with crystal light is beam'g—
The smile still seems to linger there,
But sorrow's flood within is streaming.

So may be seen, at Eve's last hour,
When calm and bright the Moon is
shining—
The lily's spotless virgin flow'r—
In tears, its tender head declining.

*Globe-dramanthus, or Everlasting Flower.

ANECDOTE OF MRS. YOUNG.

Late of the Alexandria Theatre.
In the representation of the comedy
of the Heir at Law, at Norfolk, on the
31st of October last, each of the per-
formers had occasion to deliver some
part of the epilogue, and Mrs. Young
commenced her's in the following
words:

"Is there any here in love?"

When she was immediately answered
from the lips of one of the Cyprian
goddesses in the attic chamber,

"Yes!"

With a readiness of wit peculiar to
herself, Mrs. Young archly replied,
(casting her eyes at the object of her
satire)

"Yes, I know you are in love;

"And beside you sits a man,

"Whom you'll ruin, if you can."

This reply drew forth bursts of ap-
plause from every quarter of the house,
at the expense of the young man, who
unfortunately for himself, happened
to be the only man in that part of the
gallery: he immediately withdrew.

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The man is despised whose wants
exceed his fortune. Despised! by
whom? By those abject souls who
place their honor on their wealth, and
estimate their virtue by their weight
of gold. But is this the honor of a
good man? Is virtue less honorable
because it is poor?

A Treatise on Drunkenness.

Drunkenness expels Reason, de-
fames Beauty, drains the Memory, di-
minishes the Strength, inflames the
Blood, causes internal, external, and
incurable Wounds—is a Witch to the
Senses, a Devil to the Soul, a Thief to
the Purse, the Beggar's Companion,
a Wife's Woe, and Child's Sor-
row—the picture of a Beast and Self-
Murderer, who Drinks to other's
Good Health, and Robs Himself of
his Own.

Five reasons for not using Spirituous
Liquors.

1. Because it poisons the blood and
destroys the organs of digestion.
2. Because an enemy should be
kept without the gate.
3. Because I am in health and need
no medicine.
4. Because I have my senses and
wish to keep them.
5. Because I have a soul to be sa-
ved or lost.

To the man whose mind is untouched
by all or any of the above reasons,
a volume on the subject would be use-
less. He is unfitted for society; and
the sooner he is in his grave the better.
—BETTER for society and for him-
self—For society—because of his ex-
ample—For himself—because his fu-
ture torment will be less.

From Poulson's Philad. Advertiser.

CENTENIAL JUBILEE.
The third Centennial Jubilee of the
Reformation, by Dr. Martin Luther,
was celebrated on Friday last, the
31st ultimo, in several protestant

congregations of this city, especially
the Dutch Lutheran, who worship in
the large and magnificent building at
the intersection of Fourth and Cher-
ry streets. Great taste, and much
exertion were combined to render the
sacred solemnities in the place worthy
of the occasion, and those who direct-
ed them, had the pleasure to succeed
to the utmost of their desires.

A vast concourse crowded into the
house and filled to overflowing every
pew, and all the aisles. Chairs had
been previously procured for visitors
of distinction, ladies and gentlemen,
who, by the kindness of the Vestry,
were provided with every facility to
witness the sublime exhibition. The
reverend clergy of the different protest-
ant sects, who were in the city, a-
mong whom we noticed the Right
Reverend Bishop White, and the Rev.
Dr. Alexander, principal of the Theo-
logical Seminary at Princeton, at-
tended; and by the peculiar, and pro-
fessional dignity of their demeanor,
added happily to the effect of the whole
scene. The arrangements were ju-
diciously anticipated, and by 10 o'clock
the multitude were accommodated.
An awful and impressive silence, and
gravity, preceded the commencement
of the services of the day.

The celebration was opened with
a grand piece by Rolle, which was
performed in the finest style by a full
appropriate band, accompanied by the
most perfect and powerful organ* in
the United States. This noble piece
was followed by appropriate hymns,
sung by the Choir and Congregation,
supported and enlivened by the band
and organ. Nothing could withstand
the solemnizing effects of this inci-
dent. The Choir was so numerous,
and sung so sweetly, that mood and
melody predominated over the whole
congregation. The religious exer-
cises were again continued by prayer,
which was followed by a musical in-
terlude for two female voices, by Mo-
zart. It would be impossible for lan-
guage to paint the sensation produced
by this judicious relief from the over-
whelming force of a full choir, band,
and deep toned organ. The effect
was exquisite, and greatly enlivened,
at intervals, by the sweet and melo-
dious chords of Mrs. Knittel's clarinet.

The Pastor of the Church, the ve-
nerable and Reverend Dr. Helmuth,
then ascended the sacred desk, and
with a pathos peculiar to himself, de-
livered a discourse from the words of
the 118 Psalm, vs. 24. We con-
sider it a great privation that we did
not understand the language in which
the sermon was pronounced. The
German part of the audience spoke in
admiration of the eloquence of the
preacher. Indeed from his acknow-
ledged talents and learning, it was to
be expected that he would acquit him-
self in proportion to the magnitude
of the occasion.

The Sermon was followed by a
prayer, and selected hymns, perform-
ed in the same style with those in-
troductory. The whole wound up with
a grand Te Deum, by Graun, of Ber-
lin, executed beyond description.—
The reader may have some faint con-
ceptions of the effect, when reminded,
that an animated choir, and all the
powers of the Organ, accompanied by
the band with the addition of Kettle
Drums in this instance, combined to
give it all the interest which art and
nature could contribute. Here the
services of the morning were closed.

The afternoon and evening were
spent in like appropriate exercises,
conducted in highly solemn, dignified
and animated style.

The musical performances, so ex-
quisitely tasteful and complete, were
regulated by those able and accom-
plished Professors, Messrs. Homman
and Hupfeld, seconded by many ap-
proved amateurs.

The Organ department was con-
ducted by Messrs. Homman, Jr. and
Jacob Boller, in a style deservedly
creditable to them. On the whole, the
joyous Jubilee went off with the un-
qualified admiration of an entertained
and highly delighted throng. Too
much praise cannot be given to the po-
liteness and liberality of the gentle-
men of the vestry of the Church, who
afforded every facility to the immense
congregations that attended on the
occasion. We cannot conclude this
faint sketch, in which it is confessed
poor justice is done to the whole fete,
without adding a wish that the dis-
course of the Reverend Dr. Helmuth
may be translated and published in
the English language for the benefit
of those who could not comprehend its
merits in the language in which it
was delivered. It would no doubt afford
much instruction on a subject of very
great interest in the history of christi-
anity.

A VISITOR.

* Built by Lown about seven years
since. It has thirty one stops, and
vents full, swelling melodious tones.

ALEXANDRIA: FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1817.

SABBATH SCHOOLS.

MR. PRINTER,

Having been on to the north, I was,
while there, much gratified to see the
very great exertions which are making for
evangelizing the world; and the foremost
in the lovely and heavenly train I con-
ceive to be Sabbath Schools. Do not the
numerous exertions which Christians are
making portend something glorious? do
they not loudly call dormant Christians
(if there are such) to awake from their
lethargy—to be up and doing? for the
sun of righteousness is about to arise in
his millennial glory and illuminate the
habitable world from pole to pole! Ah!
how was I surprised to understand that
the fine and flourishing city of Alexan-
dria had no Sabbath school! Citizens,
could you visit with me such an institu-
tion—could you behold the thousands
that flock to these schools—the peace,
harmony and quietness that prevailed—the
zeal of the teachers, young champions
of the cross of their Redeemer—your la-
dies and gentlemen of the first respecta-
bility in the cities engaged with all the
ardor conceivable—you could not remain
insensible to the advantages of the institu-
tion.

Christians of Alexandria! do you not
pant to be thus engaged? If so, fear not.
Although storms and tempests may lower,
fear not: the promises of Jesus are ever
sure. The enemy of souls is chained.—
He may frighten, but he never can de-
stroy. Engage in the strength of the
Lord, and your efforts shall be blessed.
Oh Christians! look around you on the
Sabbath—see your streets thronged with
young immortals, all travelling the down-
ward road to endless woe and misery;
who, with proper care, might be made
worthy citizens, and, by the blessing of
the Almighty, heirs of immortal glory in
the mansions above.

Does it not grieve you to see the blessed
and holy day of the Lord profaned,
and by those who can scarcely hush one
word? How do you shudder, in going
and returning from the house of the Lord,
to hear and see the horrid profanity all
around; and even your churches are not
entirely free from interruption. You ex-
claim alas, alas! these are stubborn facts;
but what can we do? I answer, with
confidence, establish Sabbath Schools if
you wish reform. The thing is easy—
make the trial: the thing is practicable—
arise in your might, and the Lord will
bless your efforts. Remember the awful,
the dark, and bloody scene of Gethse-
mane: "Couldst thou not watch with
me one hour?" said the lovely Jesus to
his drowsy disciples. But mark the re-
primand—"Sleep on, now, the enemy
has succeeded in par—you do not know
what the result might have been if you
had been on your guard." I not only
call on the citizens of Alexandria, but on
the whole District to arise in their might—
to gird on the whole armor of Christ Je-
sus—to fight manfully the battles of the
Lord of hosts. You desire to hand the
Bible to the poor gratis; let, I would
ask, what good will the Bible do to those
who cannot read one page? Ah! if you
wish to give effect to Bible Societies, you
must establish permanent Sabbath Schools.
They stand in the very front of your Bi-
ble institutions. Why stand you all the
day idle? How can you say "thy king-
dom come," and, at the same time, stand
with folded arms, and cry peace? peace!
when Satan, with all his awful wiles,
is inundating your streets?

That subject who views with indiffer-
ence the assaults of an enemy on his mas-
ter's effects, and makes no exertions to
foil his attempts, cannot be considered
faithful to his master's cause. Ye cannot
serve God and Mammon; and where
much is given much will be required.—
"Occupy till I come," said the ever-
blessed Redeemer; but when he comes,
how will you stand against if found loiter-
ing, when all the world and holy writ
continually exclaim "be not slothful in
your master's business?"

I am confident, were you once ze-
alously engaged in this heavenly calling,
nothing could divert—nothing could
frighten. Bet, with holy Paul, you would
exclaim "Height nor depth, principality
nor power, shall ever discourage me in
the pursuit of so glorious a prize—even a
crown, which will never fade, but shine

brighter and brighter through all eterni-
ty." Some may say enthusiasm! enthu-
siasm! others, perhaps, may say the
Lord knows his own time and means.—
He does; and I say now is the time, and
now is the glorious day of salvation. I
would ask, is it possible that he who suf-
fered little children to come unto him
will not smile upon that institution which
contemplates the instruction of poor lit-
tle abandoned orphans, to teach them to
reverence God's holy name, to reverence
his holy Sabbath, to frequent his house of
worship, and teach them to bow the knee
to the king of kings and lord of lords,
to instruct them to read the word of God,
to teach them all social and moral duties,
and, above all, to teach them the way
from earth to Heaven. Had I the voice
of an archangel, I would sound from shore
to shore—awake, Christians, to your
posts! and the most glorious post, next
to a minister of the gospel, is a Sabbath
school teacher, actuated from pure and
heavenly principles. If this is enthu-
siasm, may it be my happy lot to remain
an enthusiast, and may the same prin-
ciples bear me through eternity.

A Friend to Sabbath Schools.

St. Mary's, Nov. 1.

Amelia is still quiet, but much is want-
ed to get things as they ought to be. 28
English officers, of the 18th regiment,
(disbanded) have arrived from St. Tho-
mas. Colonels, captains, lieutenants,
&c. &c. are showing themselves, but not
a man to command. It is supposed the
greatest part of General Aury's caval-
cade will go away southwardly.

EXTRAORDINARY PRODUCTION.

Quebec, Nov. 14.

We have been twelve potatoes, the
production of the farm of John Ferguson,
on the river St. Charles, weighing fifteen
pounds. They are English whites, three
years from the seed. The produce is
thirty six bushels from two.

From the N. Y. Gazette, Nov. 10.

LATEST FROM GIBRALTAR.

We have been favored with a Gibra-
lar letter of the 5th September last, quot-
ing the following prices and remarks.

"Our market is bare of American pro-
duce—of flour there is little, but two or
three arrivals would probably bring it
down 2 or 3 dollars.—Kentucky tobacco
is rather on the advance, and expected
higher. There are a number of orders
from different Spanish ports to supply the
contracts with the Spanish government.
Rice is in request at 88. There is no
variation in produce since the 28th ult."

The plague was raging with great vi-
olence at Algiers. Towards the end of
July from two to three hundred persons
died daily. Almost all the inhabitants
of Bona have perished. The foreign con-
suls have retired into the country.

Baron Humboldt, the Russian ambas-
sador, has arrived in England, by the way
of Holland.

Ships continue to be equipped in En-
glish ports for the purpose of conveying
officers, etc. to aid the patriots in South
America. The brig Gladwin and schr
Morgan Rattler had sailed for St. Tho-
mas, with a number of officers, non com-
missioned officers, etc. to join the patriots.

A narrative of the late embassy to
China has been published in London by
Mr. Ellis, the third commissioner. It is
said to contain an abundance of interest-
ing details. The London Courier states
that the account given by Mr. Ellis of
Bonaparte affords an additional refuta-
tion of the party with respect to the
treatment of that personage.

From the Philadelphia Press.

THE FLORIDAS.

Captain Arnold, of the ship Lucy, from
Bordeaux, has brought out despatches for
government from the American minister
at the court of Spain. It is presumed
that these despatches relate to the nego-
ciations carrying on between the United
States and Spain as to the purchase of
the Floridas. It is distinctly understood,
on very good authority, that Great Britain
has said to Spain, "If you choose to keep
the Floridas it is well; but if you deter-
mine to sell them, we think we have a
right to the preference, and we shall ex-
pect the first offer."

This language has offended and embar-
rassed the Court of Madrid, although we
do not believe it will influence its deter-
mination; indeed we feel confident that
that determination is made, and is now
in the United States. We come to this
conclusion from a knowledge of the fact
that the Spanish Minister, Don Onis, has
at this moment in his possession sealed
despatches from his Court, which des-
patches he is directed not to open until
the meeting of Congress!

FROM THE SPANISH MAIN.

From the Caracas Current of Oct. 4, re-
ceived at the office of the Commercial
Advertiser.

The ship Sarah Maria, ar. here on Sun-
day last, 73 ds. from Amsterdam, having
stopped some time at Madeira. By her
we learn that a number of British officers
and other adventurers, amounting in all
to 26 persons, with the intention of join-

ing the Patriots, were a Madcure when
the Sarah Maria arrived there, and left
that island the day before she sailed.—
A vessel from St. Croix on Wednesday,
brings accounts of these persons having
arrived at St. Thomas.

We have received Caracas Gazettes to
the 24th of Sept. An extraordinary
Gazette of the 11th contains an official
despatch from col. Pimenes to gen. Mo-
rillo, dated Guiria, 28th Aug. 1817, and
gives an account of his having marched
from Carupano on the 23th, with 700 men,
to attack Guiria. Having arrived there
on the 27th, and the enemy not coming
out to meet him he made dispositions
for storming the place, which was accord-
ingly done, and taken at the point of the
bayonet, amidst a tremendous fire from
the Patriots, but who were at length com-
pelled to retreat on board their vessels.
The fruits of the victory were 4 pieces
of cannon 4 colors, 6 ammunition boxes,
and many muskets. The patriots are
said to have lost from 250 to 300 men, a-
mong them the governor of the coast of
Guiria, Josef Maria Herinoso, the colonel
of artillery, Sauchant Fauchet, and the
colonel of the cavalry, Dominico Pa-
duano, with various other officers. The
Spanish loss is stated at 19 killed and 37
wounded.

The Gazette of the 24th contains three
official accounts of trifling actions that
had taken place between the Spaniards
and Patriots. The first is dated from
the town of Apurito, Sept. 4, and men-
tions the taking of the villages Payara,
Guasimal, Achaguas, and Santa Lucia,
by the commandant gen. Don Sebastian
Calzado.

The second is from capt. Martinez,
dated San Rafael de Orituco, Sept. 6th,
and describes a mere skirmish between
70 Spaniards & 150 of the Independents,
in which the latter, as a matter of course,
had the worst of it.

The last is from the commandant of
Llanos (Plains), and gives an account of
an action at Oscuro, which lasted two
days. The number of the Independents
are stated to have amounted to 400, of
which 200 were killed, and a great num-
ber wounded. The Spaniards suffered
no other loss than a few horses wounded
with the lance!!!

The same Gazette contains a royal
pardon and amnesty from Ferdinand VII.
to all the e comprehended in the past or
present insurrection in South America,
and invites them to return to their homes.

Another loan of 200,000 dollars, for
the support of the army, was lately raised
among the merchants of Caracas and
La Guayra.

Extract of a letter from Caracas, dated
26th Sept. 1817.

"Last Sunday the indulto for the in-
surgents was published here with a great
deal of pomp; 3000 troops were under
arms, and lined the streets from the house
of the capt general to the Cathedral, the
market, and other places where the gen-
eral passed through. In the evening there
were balls, concerts and also a general
rejoicing. In Mexico the indulto has
had the most happy effect, and comple-
tely terminated the civil war. Here I
doubted a similar result, although of late
the insurgents have been worsted in all
directions, as you will see by the public
papers I send you herewith. Yesterday
accounts were received of a complete
victory by Calzado over Paz. The lat-
ter lost 400 men killed, and 500 prison-
ers, 9000 horses, a great number of cat-
tle and all his camp equipage. This bat-
tle was subsequent to that announced in
the Gazette. A few battles more of this
importance, will certainly reduce the in-
surgent forces to a mere skeleton. The
loss of their horses will be most severely
felt by them. Deserters are daily pre-
sented themselves, who are sent to their
respective homes. General Morillo has
ordered all the prisoners to be set at li-
berty, they enjoying the benefit of the in-
dulto. It is expected that gen. Z...
will surrender and take the benefit of the
indulto."

An arrival from Cumana, brings an ac-
count of 10 vessels, consisting of ships,
brigs and schooners, having arrived there
about nine days ago, from the island of
Grenada, having on board the Spanish
troops who escaped from Augustura,
when that place was taken possession of
by the Patriots. These are said not to
amount to more than 100 men, conse-
quently it was not necessary to employ
so many vessels to convey them from
Grenada to Cumana, and from this cir-
cumstance the report of Brion having
lately had a brush with some Spanish
vessels, would seem to derive some cre-
dit, as we are informed that several of
the vessels lying at Cumana appeared to
be in a disabled state.

It is said that Brion was lately at Mar-
garita with a fleet of 17 armed vessels.
A meteor of considerable length, and
of a most luminous appearance, coming
from a S. W. direction, passed over
Otrabanda precisely at noon on Thurs-
day last; the head was nearly round,
and from it towards the middle of a
bluish east. The whole form appeared
tapering, and ended in a waving tail
of bright fire. At the moment it was seen
the Sun was shining in full splendor.

We understand that a contagious and
most fatal fever prevails at present in the
island of Porto Rico, and we have no
doubt but measures will be adopted to
prevent its being communicated to this
colony by vessels arriving here from that
island.

A beak of the common kind, was raised
in the garden of Mr. John Bauman,

in Baltimore county, the present year,
which weighed seventeen pounds, and
measured twenty eight and a half inches
in circumference.

From the Albany Daily Advertiser.

ANOTHER WONDER.

When will the age of imposture and
credulity cease? The Maid of Orleans,
the illiterate Shepherdess, once decided
the fate of her nation in battle, by her
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period, numerous impostors have appear-
ed in different parts of the world, whose
success in practising delusions, appears
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enlightened age, impostors of various de-
nominations have not found it at all diffi-
cult to delude even many of the ablest
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the faculty. Thus within a few years,
we have witnessed the success of Ann
Moore, in imposing upon the learned and
unlearned of England, the belief that she
lived for months or years without food.
In 1814, Joanna Southcott, who was
near 70 years old, gave out that she was
to give birth to the Messiah. She suc-
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own country been behind-hand in this
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ago, John Bull's whole attention was en-
grossed by Miss Caraboo, who was then
considered a beautiful Indian princess, or
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ed doctors of the Oxford university, were
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der, however, is of such an extraordinary
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long article in a Liverpool paper, by the
editor of the Federal Republican: A
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pool, with eyes perfectly blind, it seems
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with the ends of her fingers. Dr. Egerton
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of his patient were thus blindfolded, she
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ors, of cloth, and even of glass, by mere-
ly laying them submitted to the sense of
touch; that in one of these experiments
made upon glass, she was capable of as-
certaining the existence of a colour, that
could not be perceived without the glass
itself was held up to the full beams of
the sun. These facts seem incredible
enough, in all conscience, but they are
nothing to what is afterwards stated of
this lady. She pretends actually to see
with her fingers' ends, and by touching
the crystal of a watch, with a watch
placed behind her back, can designate the
hours of the day. When the window is
open, it is stated, that she extends her
hand towards the adjoining church and
sees with her fingers the hour of the day
upon the clock; that she is able to de-
tect by the same means the different col-
ors of the dresses of the people who are
passing and repassing in the public street.
The Dr. who has certified to most of the
facts that we have recorded above, seems
at last, since the affair of Miss Caraboo,
to have an honorable jealousy of his own
reputation. He says he discontinued his
visits, not that he believes, but that he
fears that she may ultimately prove an
impostor. The following extract will
show what conclusion he has drawn from
his represented experiments.

"Whatever contrariety of opinion
may prevail on this point amongst true
believers or sceptics, there are two con-
clusions, to one of which they cannot
withhold their assent.

1st. Either Miss M'Avoy, although
blind, possesses the faculty of distinguish-
ing objects, and colours by the touch, or
some other means than the eyes—
2d. Miss M'Avoy, reputed to be blind,
and with a bandage over her eyes, thro'
which no other person can see, in a place
also, so dark that others can distinguish
little or nothing; can see better than any
other person.

Leaving to physiologists the further in-
vestigation of this extraordinary case, I
shall for the present conclude, by affixing
to the preceding statements my name at
full length, which I conceived to be in-
dispensable in the present instance.

(Signed) ROBERT SMITH.

Liverpool, Sept. 2, 1817.

The following particulars respecting
this singular case, are from a Liverpool
paper of a later date. The Liverpool
editor, it seems, has paid Miss M'Avoy
a visit, in order to satisfy himself as to
the truth of the statements in circulation.

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ing the Patriots, were a Madrigal when the Sarah Maria arrived there, and left that island the day before she sailed. A vessel from St. Croix on Wednesday, brings accounts of these persons having arrived at St. Thomas.

We have received Caracas Gazettes to the 24th of Sept. An extraordinary Gazette of the 11th contains an official despatch from col. Pimenes to gen. Morillo, dated Guiria, 28th Aug. 1817, and gives an account of his having marched from Carupano on the 20th, with 700 men, to attack Guiria. Having arrived there on the 27th, and the enemy not coming out to meet him he made dispositions for storming the place, which was accordingly done, and taken at the point of the bayonet, amidst a tremendous fire from the Patriots, but who were at length compelled to retreat on board their vessels. The fruits of the victory were 4 pieces of cannon 4 colors, 6 ammunition boxes, and many muskets. The patriots are said to have lost from 250 to 300 men, among them the governor of the coast of Guiria, Jose Maria Heronimo, the colonel of artillery, Sauchant Fauchett, and the colonel of the cavalry, Dominico Palano, with various other officers. The Spanish loss is stated at 13 killed and 37 wounded.

The Gazette of the 24th contains three official accounts of trifling actions that had taken place between the Spaniards and Patriots. The first is dated from the town of Apurito, Sept. 4, and mentions the taking of the villages Payara, Guasimal, Achaguas, and Santa Lucia, by the commandant gen. Don Sebastian Calzad.

The second is from capt. Martinez, dated San Rafael de Orituco, Sept. 6th, and describes a mere skirmish between 50 Spaniards & 150 of the Independents, in which the latter, as a matter of course, and the worst of it.

The last is from the commandant of Llanos (Plains), and gives an account of an action at Oscuro, which lasted two days. The number of the Independents are stated to have amounted to 400, of which 200 were killed, and a great number wounded. The Spaniards suffered no other loss than a few horses wounded with the lance!!!

The same Gazette contains a royal pardon and amnesty from Ferdinand VII. to all those comprehended in the past or present insurrection in South America, and invites them to return to their homes. Another loan of 200,000 dollars, for the support of the army, was lately raised among the merchants of Caracas and La Guayra.

Extract of a letter from Caracas, dated 26th Sept. 1817.

"Last Sunday the indulto for the insurgents was published here with a great deal of pomp; 5000 troops were under arms, and lined the streets from the house of the capt general to the Cathedral, the market, and other places where the general passed through. In the evening there were balls, concerts and also a general rejoicing. In Mexico the indulto has had the most happy effect, and completely terminated the civil war. Here I doubted a similar result, although of late the insurgents have been worsted in all directions, as you will see by the public papers I send you herewith. Yesterday accounts were received of a complete victory by Calzado over Paz. The latter lost 400 men killed, and 500 prisoners, 9000 horses, a great number of cattle and all his camp equipage. This battle was subsequent to that announced in the Gazette. A few battles more of this importance, will certainly reduce the insurgent forces to a mere skeleton. The loss of their horses will be most severely felt by them. Deserters are daily presenting themselves, who are sent to their respective homes. General Morillo has ordered all the prisoners to be set at liberty, they enjoying the benefit of the indulto. It is expected that gen. Z... will surrender and take the benefit of the indulto."

An arrival from Cumana, brings an account of 10 vessels, consisting of ships, brigs and schooners, having arrived there about nine days ago, from the island of Grenada, having on board the Spanish troops who escaped from Augustura, when that place was taken possession of by the Patriots. These are said not to amount to more than 100 men, consequently it was not necessary to employ so many vessels to convey them from Grenada to Cumana, and from this circumstance the report of Briton having lately had a brush with some Spanish vessels, would seem to derive some credit, as we are informed that several of the vessels lying at Cumana appeared to be in a disabled state.

It is said that Briton was lately at Margarita with a fleet of 17 armed vessels. A meteor of considerable length, and of a most luminous appearance, coming from a S. W. direction, passed over Oratabanda precisely at noon on Thursday last; the head was nearly round, and from it towards the middle of a bluish cast. The whole form appeared tapering, and ended in a waving tail of bright fire. At the moment it was seen the Sun was shining in full splendor.

We understand that a contagious and most fatal fever prevails at present in the island of Porto Rico, and we have no doubt but measures will be adopted to prevent its being communicated to this colony by vessels arriving here from that island.

A beet of the common kind, was raised in the garden of Mr. John Bausman,

in Baltimore county, the present year, which weighed seventeen pounds, and measured twenty eight and a half inches in circumference.

From the Albany Daily Advertiser.

ANOTHER WONDER.
When will the age of imposture and credulity cease? The Maid of Orleans, the illiterate Shepherdess, once decided the fate of her nation in battle, by her artful deceptions. Since and before that period, numerous impostors have appeared in different parts of the world, whose success in practising delusions, appears almost incredible. Nor does the evil as we can perceive, diminish. Even in this enlightened age, impostors of various denominations have not found it at all difficult to delude even many of the ablest divines and most scientific and skillful of the faculty. Thus within a few years, we have witnessed the success of Ann Moore, in imposing upon the learned and unlearned of England, the belief that she lived for months or years without food.

In 1814, Joanna Southcott, who was near 70 years old, gave out that she was to give birth to the Messiah. She succeeded in deceiving the most skillful physicians as to her situation, and her followers became numerous. Nor has our own country been behind-hand in this respect, as Jeremia Wilkinson & Rachel Baker can testify. But a few months ago, John Bull's whole attention was engaged by Miss Caraboo, who was then considered a beautiful Indian princess, or a messenger from the moon. The learned doctors of the Oxford university, were as much deceived by Miss Caraboo, as were those of London by Mrs. Southcott, or those of New York by Miss Baker.

But the bubble with respect to Miss Caraboo has no sooner burst, and the beautiful grand-daughter of Madame Luna safely landed herself in America, than we are treated with another at Liverpool—no less marvelous than all that have gone before. Here, again, the learned doctors are in a fair way to be hoaxed and laughed at. The Liverpool wonder, however, is of such an extraordinary character that we will give all the information we can gather upon the subject for the amusement of our readers. The following particulars are condensed from a long article in a Liverpool paper, by the editor of the Federal Republican: A lady by the name of Mac Avoy, of Liverpool, with eyes perfectly blind, it seems possesses the strange property of seeing with the ends of her fingers. Dr. Egerton Smith, of Liverpool, declares that he visited the patient, and after having applied a bandage to her eyes, presented her with a book. She ran her fingers over the page and read with apparent facility the contents of the volume. The Dr. declares that he had repeated the experiment several times, presented to his patient different kinds of points, all of which she pursued with ease & promptitude with her finger ends. Again, the Dr. testifies further, that while the eyes of his patient were thus blindfolded, she was able to ascertain with accuracy, by the sense of feeling, the compound colors of cloth, and even of glass, by merely laying them submitted to the sense of touch; that in one of these experiments made upon glass, she was capable of ascertaining the existence of a colour, that could not be perceived without the glass itself was held up to the full beams of the sun. These facts seem incredible enough, in all conscience, but they are nothing to what is afterwards stated of this lady. She pretends actually to see with her fingers' ends, and by touching the crystal of a watch, with a watch placed behind her back, can designate the hour of the day. When the window is open, it is stated that she extends her hand towards the adjoining church and sees with her fingers the hour of the day upon the clock; that she is able to detect by the same means the different colors of the dresses of the people who are passing and re-passing in the public street. The Dr. who has certified to most of the facts that we have recorded above, seems at last, since the affair of Miss Caraboo, to have an honorable jealousy of his own reputation. He says he discontinued his visits, not that he believes, but that he fears that she may ultimately prove an impostor. The following extract will show what conclusion he has drawn from his represented experiments.

"Whatever contrary of opinion may prevail on this point amongst true believers or sceptics, there are two conclusions, to one of which they cannot without their assent.

1. Either Miss Mac Avoy, although blind, possesses the faculty of distinguishing objects and colours by the touch, or some other means than the eyes—or.

2. Miss Mac Avoy, reputed to be blind, and with a bandage over her eyes, through no other person can see, in a place also, so dark that others can distinguish little or nothing; can see better than any other person.

Leaving to physiologists the further investigation of this extraordinary case, I shall for the present conclude, by affixing to the preceding statements my name at full length, which I conceived to be indispensable in the present instance.

(Signed) ROBERT SMITH.
Liverpool, Sept. 2, 1817.

The following particulars respecting this singular case, are from a Liverpool paper of a later date. The Liverpool editor, it seems, has paid Miss Mac Avoy a visit, in order to satisfy himself as to the truth of the statements in circulation.

Before any experiments were made, care was taken to have her eye-lids shut, and gold beater's skin cemented over them; and a handkerchief were then tied over the gold beater's skin. Several pieces of coloured silk were placed before her; and, passing her fingers over them, she readily told the different shades and pointed out the patterns of various prints. A small glass vial was put into her hands, containing several pieces of silk, of different colours, and she discriminated, in like manner, the various shades through the vial. Some letters were produced, the directions of which she readily deciphered, through a piece of common window glass, placed at equal distances between the object & her face; her fingers touching the glass. With a magnifying glass, placed in the same situation, her powers of discernment appeared to be increased. She also described the features of several individuals in the company, as reflected in a looking glass placed on her knee. The faculty which, it is said, she possesses of distinguishing objects when placed behind her, was not, on the present occasion, at all in operation, for whenever her attention was called to an object not placed in a direct line downwards from her face, she uniformly failed to ascertain any of its qualities; her powers seemed also gone, when any thing opaque intervened between her face and the object she endeavored to recognize.

Thus, says the Liverpool editor, the case remains enveloped in mystery, in whatever light it is viewed. Against the theory of the touch alone being concerned, is the fact we have just stated, that, as far as our observation goes, she requires an uninterrupted communication between her face and the object examined, which could not be necessary if the ideas were conveyed to the brain, as some have supposed through the nerves of the fingers. On the other hand, we can scarcely conceive it possible that she could see through the usual channel, after the means we have described, had been adopted to keep down the eye-lids. We have heard it suggested as possible, that the pupil of the eye, if the lachrymal duct were considerably enlarged, might be presented down the nostrils, so as to afford the means of vision through this medium; but on this point we dare not undertake to offer any decided opinion; all we can venture upon is, that allowing the anatomical possibility of the fact, the phenomena we witnessed may be easily explained."

Milton, says the Federal Republican, in his beautiful apostrophe to blindness, laments that sight was not like feeling, "diffused through every pore;" that so important a sense in other words should be confined to so small a part of the human body. We presume that these facts, so gravely detailed, will set all our philosophers in an uproar—they must be accounted for, as a matter of course, and we shall have new theories, new systems, new explanations; they will endeavor to show, we presume, that it is no new thing for a man to see with his fingers' ends, but perfectly correspondent to their system—nay, it will be well if they do not declare that they inherit this property themselves. Before our philosophers, however, proceed to these lengths, we would recommend to their consideration the advice of Dr. Johnson, who declares that in all philosophical debates, "the first object is to be satisfied of the existence of the fact." There seems a sort of a mania for miracles in our day, of which impostors avail themselves to sport with public credulity.

Exchange Office, House
MARINE JOURNAL.
PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, NOVEMBER 13.
CLEARED, 13th INSTANT,
Brig Abouas, Lewis, Lubec.
Schr Margaret, Wood, Baltimore.
Favorite, Green, Georgetown.

ARRIVED,
Brig Adeline, Southern, fr. Lubec for Georgetown.
A small schooner bound down, with five persons on board, was upset in a squall, opposite the town, this afternoon—by the timely exertions of a few citizens, who went to their relief, no lives were lost—the vessel was towed on shore at Hunter's ship yard.

Another vessel of the same description and about the same time, ran foul of the ship Newburyport, laying at anchor in the stream—by which accident, the schr carried away one of her masts.

MEMORANDA.

Schr Elizabeth, Snow, hence, arrived at Boston 7th ult.
Brig Messenger, Peterson, 37 days fr. Havre, ar. at Boston 7th inst. Reports, left ship Atlas, Jenson, for Alexandria in three days.

Brig Indian Chief, 40 days fr. Lisbon, ar. at New Bedford 5th instant. Reports, left ship Young Hero, Wilson, for Alexandria in 10 days.

Sloop Alligator, Hart, at N. York 10th inst. up for this port.

Schr Adeline, Rumney, cl. at Boston 8th instant, for this port.

Port of Norfolk, Nov. 10.
ARRIVED,
British brig Friendship, Dartell, 33 days from Antigua. On Saturday the 1st instant, off Cape Matterns, experienced a violent gale from the southward and eastward, which stove the Pk long boat, split her sails, sprang her main boom, carried away her spars, &c. The brig Francis

and Lucy, Smith, from this port, and the brig Maids, from New-York, were both under seizure at Antigua for the violation of some law—The brig Commerce, Ross, hence, has arrived at Antigua in 60 days, and the brig Louisa, Williams, also from this port, in 23 days.

Schr Ceres, Forayth, 20 days fr. Port-au-Prince. Left there October 4th, brig Calypso, Neil, for Baltimore, to sail in 15 days; Margaret, —, of New-York, discharging, schrs Paragon, Mackey, for Boston, in 20 days; Spartan, Johnston, for N. York, waiting a cargo; Lady McDonough, —, do; Eagle, Blackman, for Philadelphia; and Rooksby, Spinney, for Portsmouth, N. H. do; Enterprize, Gellie, for Goldsborough, discharging; Milo, Snow, for N. Orleans, uncertain; Jane, Lewis of Philadelphia, in a day or two for the coast. The brig Vigilant, Lambert, for Boston, came out in co. with the Ceres. The schr Eagle, noticed above, had been chased, off Cape Nicholas Mole by a small schooner, which appeared to be manned with blacks, and received several shots from her, one of which passed into her cabin windows, and another fell into the hold; another vessel heaving in sight they gave up the chase. The brig Calypso, Capt. Neil, was also chased, off the Mole, by the same schr, (or one very much like her) but escaped by superior sailing.

IN HAMPTON ROADS.
British ship Earl Fitzwilliam, Left, 19 days from Port Antonio, (Jam.) Left no vessels for the U. States at Port Antonio; at Anatto Bay, Oct. 18th, there were the ship Berkeley, Dent, and brig Alkomack; Threlfall, for this port, to sail about the first instant. American produce was generally in demand in all the ports of Jamaica, & Island produce scarce and high.

Schr Harriet, Hathaway, of Bristol, 27 days from St. Jago de Cuba. Left brig Polander, Richardson, for Charleston, uncertain; schrs Martha, —, for do. in a few days; Union, Denike, for New-York in 5. Spoke Oct. 15, off the Mora, schr Wm. & Joseph, Davis, 45 days fr. this port, via St. Thomas's, did not understand where bound. Markets very dull for American produce, and island produce very scarce.

Lost,

ON the 11th instant, in one of the streets of Alexandria, a Black Morocco POCKET BOOK, containing Five Dollars, on the Bank of Metropolis, and some change not recollected—Also, some valuable Papers, of no consequence to any person but the owner. Any person returning said Book and Papers to the Printer hereof, shall receive Six Dollars Reward.
Nov. 13—3t

Stoves.

THE subscribers have just received an assortment of
Franklin and Ten Plate Stoves,
of the newest fashions.

ALSO ON HAND,
A general assortment of HARDWARE,
as usual.

LEWIS HICKINS & Co.
November 13.

Chick & Clarke

HAVE just received per the sloop Ocean,

15 lbs sugar
5000 lbs coffee
100 sacks salt
50 kegs tobacco
AND IN STORE,
50 bbls N. E. rum
30 bbls apple brandy
100 boxes soap
3000 lbs. Goshen cheese
5 bbls. Lemons—All of which will be sold on accommodating terms.
November 11.

English Cheese, Patent Shot,
&c. &c. &c.

10 BASKETS best double Gloucester cheese
4 tons patent shot, assorted, B. B. to No. 9.

15 casks single, double and treble F. gunpowder
2 casks rotant indigo
10 lbs. rye whiskey
40 bbls. }
3000 lbs. coffee
100 doz. bed cords and leading lines
400 lbs. shoe thread—for sale by
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
November 10.

Young Ladies' Seminary.

MRS. COTTRINGER, of Philadelphia, respectfully informs the public that she proposes opening a Boarding and Day School at Alexandria, where the various branches of education will be taught. For terms, apply to James B. Nickolls, or Alexander Moore, of Alexandria, and Richard Harrison, esq. Washington city.

The school will commence on the 1st of December next.
October 21.

Bank of Potomac,
November 1, 1817.

NOTICE is hereby given the Stockholders of the Bank of Potomac, that a dividend on the capital stock, of four per cent for the last six months is declared, and will be paid them or their representatives on Wednesday next, the 5th instant.

By order of the President and directors,
C. PAGE, Cashier.
November 1

The Cargo
OF the British schooner Echo, captain Cook, from Barbados, consisting of SUGARS, of superior quality, is just landed, and is offered for sale by
Nov. 10. FRADAMS, Jr.

Pine Apple Cheese.
18 BOXES of English Pine Apple Cheese, recently imported and of excellent quality, just received & for sale by
BARNEWALL & POPHAM,
Merchants' Wharf.
November 8. 10t

For Sale.
A FEW copies of Lewis's large Map of the U. States, and Madison's Map of Virginia, for sale at the auction room of
P. G. MARSTELLER.
November 8. 10t

Young Hyson Tea.
JOHN G. LADD & Co. have received per schr Mary, and offer for sale, 20 chests Young Hyson TEA, of ship North Point's cargo—quality superior.
November 7.

Horses Wanted.
I WILL purchase 25 HORSES of suitable size, figure and qualities, if offered between the 15th and 20th of the present month. Apply at Brown's Hotel.
Nov. 10. FR. ADAMS, Jr.

Tanning and Currying.
JOSEPH HESTON continues to carry on the above business at his old stand in Prince street, between Water and Union streets, where he will be always ready to execute orders in his line with promptness and despatch.

He keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of
Leather,
of as various qualities as can be found in any shop in the District—which he will dispose of at very low prices for cash.
11 mo. 5.

Notice.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm of FANN & HANNON, was dissolved on the 20th of April last, by mutual consent. The business has been conducted since and will be in future, under the firm of WILLIAM & WALTER HANNON, who are fully authorized to settle the accounts of the former firm.

THE SUBSCRIBERS
Have now on hand, and offer for sale at the same old stand on Royal street, between King and Prince streets, a handsome assortment of
Plain and Elegant Furniture;
Consisting of the following articles:
Sideboards, Ladies work stands
Bureaus, Candle stands
Tables, Sofas
Bedsteads, Easy chairs
Secretary & book cases
Hair and moss mattresses, &c. &c.
All of which will be sold at the most reduced prices for cash, or to punctual customers at their usual credit. We also carry on the TURNING BUSINESS, both of wood and iron. The above business will be punctually attended to, and all those that please to favor us with their custom we trust will receive general satisfaction.

WM. & WALTER HANNON.
November 7.

Patuxent Land for sale.

ONE thousand acres valuable Land for sale, bounded on one side by the river Patuxent, on another by the main road leading from Washington city to Annapolis, in Anne Arundel county, about 20 miles from Baltimore, 24 from Washington, and 13 from Annapolis. This land is well calculated for tobacco, corn and rye; there is also a good proportion of meadow. It is very well watered by continual springs, and about 400 acres in wood. A further description is thought unnecessary, as those wishing to purchase will no doubt visit the premises.

Persons desirous of viewing this property will please to call on Mr. Robert Fenwick, White Marsh, who will give every information. It will be sold altogether or in lots, as may suit purchasers. For the terms of sale, &c. application is to be made to the subscriber, at Georgetown college. FRANCIS NEALE.
November 10. mw1m

Public Sale.

By virtue of an order from the Orphans' Court of Charles county, will be offered at public sale on Tuesday, the 25th of November next, if fair, if not, the next fair day, all the PERSONAL ESTATE of Samuel A. Berry, deceased, consisting of from 20 to 30 valuable Negroes—men, women and children, 11 head of horses, 30 head of cattle, 50 head of sheep, 60 barrels corn, a quantity of fodder, wheat and rye straw, a quantity of new feathers, 20 barrels cider, 1 barrel peach brandy, a crop of tobacco, now in the house, supposed to be 10,000 weight; plantation utensils, and many other articles, too tedious to enumerate. The sale will take place at the late residence of the deceased, at 11 o'clock on the aforesaid day, and will continue from day to day till all is sold. The terms are cash.

MARY BERRY,
Adm'r. of Saml. A. Berry, dec'd.
October 23. 1817.

Sales at Auction.
By P. G. MARSTELLER.

THIS DAY, at half past 3 P. M. Will be sold, on Dean's wharf, without reserve, for the benefit of those concerned—

20 Mds Muscovado Sugars,
of good quality. Terms made known at place of sale.
P. G. MARSTELLER.
November 14.

By JOHN JACKSON & Co.

TO-MORROW, at 10 A. M. Will be sold at their Auction Rooms, U. Mon-street.

The balance of the stock of goods offered on Wednesday, consisting of
Rose, point and dufl blankets
Black silk and madras handkerchiefs
Striped jeans; gingham
Marseilles quiltings; Canton crapes
Plain & figured gauze; corded cambie
4-4 and 6-4 cambric muslins
British shirting; Irish luns
Jaconett, lace nett, book and cambric
muslins; japanned muslins
Tamboured and fancy muslins
Gilt, vest and ball button
Satin riband; & lined gallions
Beaver, kid and buckskin gloves
Gillies; handkerchiefs, &c. &c.

To which will be added,
1 trunk calicoes
3 bale coatings
1 do. blankets
1 do. white flannels
1 case cords and velvets
1 do. 4-4 sheetings
1 do. dimities, bedtickings, cloths;
cassimeres, vestings, &c. &c.

At same time will be sold,
Philadelphia saddles, bridles, carriage and gig harness, superior quality and workmanship, and well worth the attention of country merchants.
Conditions liberal, and made known at time of sale.
Nov. 14.

Public Sale

PURSUANT to a decree of the hon. the County Court of Fairfax, will be sold to the highest bidder for ready money, on the premises, on the 24th of Dec. next, that tract or parcel of land adjoining the lands of William Carlin and John Luke, wherein Moses Ball and Ann Ball lately lived, said to contain 91 acres.
THE COMMISSIONERS.
November 11. 1817.

A Mill Lease, Waggon and Horses, & Hogs for Sale.

WILL be sold, without reserve, at public sale, on Saturday the 15th November next, at 12 o'clock, a Lease of two years and eight months from the day of sale, on a Mill situate about an equal distance from Georgetown, Washington and Alexandria, and not more than four miles from either, known by the name of the CENTRE MILL. The Mill runs two pair of burr stones, one of six feet and the other four feet seven inches, and is in good order for merchant and country work. Also, will be offered at the same time, a Waggon and Team and Harness, a number of Hogs, & many other articles too numerous to particularize. Term of sale cash.

A. & B. DYER.
October 22. d3tw1f15th Nov.

Land for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale, about 9000 acres of land in Fairfax county, not more than from seven to nine miles from Alexandria. The property is well watered, has a sufficiency of wood; and (judging from the condition of small and well cultivated farms that adjoin it) it is highly susceptible of improvement.—It is at present divided into tenements, of from one to two hundred acres, each provided with a dwelling house, out houses, a garden and orchard; and might, of course, be laid off into four or five very compact farms. The principal object of the subscriber, being the introduction of a good system of husbandry into his neighbourhood, he will sell on very moderate terms, give a long credit on the whole amount of the purchase money, and require no other interest, than what the present rent of the land pays, being about 3 per cent. on its estimated value.

WM. H. FITZHUGH.
Ravenworth, August 2. d3tw1f

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, living near the Falls church, Fairfax county, Virginia, on the 14th August, a negro man, named JACK PROCTOR, aged about 25 years.—He is a mulatto, about 5 feet 8 inches high, has a down look when spoken to. Jack was raised and has lived in and about the city of Washington for several years past—he was hired last year to Henry Burford, near the navy yard, and worked in his brick yard. Jack has been seen in a long boat that trades up and down the river with wood, &c.—For the apprehension and securing said Jack in any jail so that I get him again, I will give the above reward, and reasonable charges if brought home. Masters of vessels and others are forewarned from harboring or employing said fellow.
JOHN A. SOMER, RS.
November 8. 3t

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